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Amendment filed with RCE

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Ichiko TAKAHASHI, et al.

Serial No. : 10/563,412

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For : METHOD OF RESTRAINING FATIGUE  
CRACK GROWTH, METHOD OF DETECTING  
FATIGUE CRACK AND PASTE TO BE  
USED FOR THE METHODS

Art Unit : 3726

Examiner : John C. HONG

This paper is being submitted  
via EFS-Web on August 25, 2010

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petition for extension of time  
is not filed concurrently  
herewith, please consider this  
as a Petition for the requisite  
extension of time, and to the  
extent not already paid,  
authorization to charge the  
extension fee to Account  
No. 06-1378. In addition,  
authorization is hereby given to  
charge any fees for which  
payment has not been submitted,  
or to credit any overpayments,  
to Account No. 06-1378.

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE**

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This Amendment is being filed with an RCE in response to  
the Final Office Action mailed May 25, 2010, the term for  
response to which expires on August 25, 2010.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2. Claims 1-4 are canceled;  
claims 5-8 and 10 are maintained; claim 9 is amended; and  
claims 11 and 12 are added.

**Remarks** begin on page 5.